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EXTRA.
2 O'CLOCK.
EIGHT PAGES.
TRIED TO SMUGGLE BRIBE.

Gabriel Pinto and Isaac Cohn
Accused of Both.

Told Customs Inspectors Fancy
Blankets Were "Tablecloths."

Gabriel Pinto and Isaac Cohn, two Frenchmen, who arrived on the American liner New York from Southampton yesterday, were before Commissioner John A. Shields this morning on a charge of attempted smuggling.

When the two Frenchmen cleared themselves of this charge they may have to answer to the more serious one of attempting to bribe a Customs House Officer in the discharge of his duty.

To Inspector Charles H. Mitchell belongs the credit of making this arrest, which is regarded by the customs officials as a most important one.

Pinto and Cohn were arrested on the American liner dock when they came after their goods this morning.

On the steamer Pinto and Cohn each declared "fancy blankets." They also declared eight trunks and nine trunks, respectively, which were claimed as second-class baggage.

When Inspector Mitchell came to make an examination he found that the alleged "table cloths" were rich fancy blankets.

Owing to the fact that neither of the men spoke more than a few words of English the inspector let this pass, and the goods were sent to Chicago in bond.

At this point an interpreter was secured, and the examination of the trunks, of which there were seventeen in all, began.

The Frenchmen were very loth to unlock them, and after a few minutes' conversation with the interpreter the latter informed Mitchell that "there were two pounds in this."

The inspector was not to be bribed, however, and insisted that the trunks be opened forthwith.

Pinto made an attempt to him to chalk a certain trunk, and at the same time kept repeating "25, 25 I give." He was much surprised when he found the inspector would not be bought.

Then Pinto and Cohn offered to pay all the duties if the inspector would pass that one trunk. Eight of the trunks were sealed, and the men were taken to the station.

When the prisoners were arraigned before Commissioner Shields, Cohn, who is a little, baldheaded man, said he was a merchant in the Turkish village, Chicago.

Pinto was more reticent, and said he was going to Chicago, where he had a store.

The value of the goods seized is about \$5,000. The prisoners were held in \$2,000 each for examination at 11 o'clock to-morrow morning.

TEN CHINAMEN TO BE DEPORTED.

Eighteen of Those Detained on the
Haitian Republic Can Land.

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 8.—In the case of the twenty-eight Chinamen held on the steamer Hattian Republic, yesterday decided under sections 2 and 3 of the Geary act, eighteen of them must be deported.

Veteran Soldier-Surgeon Dead.

AUGUSTA, Me., Aug. 8.—Dr. E. R. Dyer, surgeon at the Soldiers' Home, Togus, died last evening after a long illness, aged fifty-five. He is survived by a brother, Rev. F. G. Miller, D. D., of Waterville, N. J., and a sister.

Heart Disease Supposedly Caused
By Cigarette Smoking.

LONG ISLAND CITY, N. Y., Aug. 8.—Charles Seibolt, a newspaper man, was found dead in bed this morning at his home on Jamaica avenue, Astoria. His death was due to heart disease, superinduced as supposed by excessive cigarette smoking.

REPORTER SEIBOLT DEAD.

French Sharpshooters Go to Occupy
Chantillon.

SAIGON, Aug. 8.—Two hundred and fifty French sharpshooters and marines have left for Chantillon, a town in the north of France, near the Gulf of Tonkin, which the French are to occupy temporarily in accordance with the terms of the supplementary ultimatum recently accepted by the Siamese government.

McKinley's Campaign Opens Sept. 12.

COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 8.—Gov. McKinley and chairman of the Republican state committee, yesterday decided to open the Republican campaign formally at Akron Sept. 12.

USEFUL DOMESTIC SNAKES.

The Gila of Great Service as a
Rat-Catcher in Brazil.

Rats have increased to such a terrible
degree in Brazil, says the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, that the natives have begun to
hunt them down.

The domestic snake of Brazil is the
gila, a small, round, fat snake, with a
yellow and a half feet long and as thick as
a man's arm. This reptile can be caught
by a child, and it is a harmless
animal, which does no harm to man or
other animals. It is a very serviceable
animal, and is much used by the natives
to catch rats.

WOMEN CONTRACT LABORERS.

Two Expert Silk Workers Held
at Ellis Island.

They Were Bound for a Factory in
South Manchester, Conn.

Chief of Contract Labor Inspectors John J. Quinn has before him to-day the novel case of two female contract laborers. This is the first instance in the history of the Department that a female immigrant has been detected as a contract laborer.

The two violators of the Alien Contract Labor law are Mathilda Seiford, aged twenty-six, and Jane Lewis, aged twenty-eight, both natives of Ireland, and expert silk-workers. They arrived here yesterday on the Circassia, and were going under contract to work in Cheney Brothers' silk mill at South Manchester, Conn.

Both of them made affidavits that they came here under contract with a foreman in the silk mill, who, they said, lately went over to Ireland to engage a number of expert workers. The passage money of the two girls was paid by some party in South Manchester, and they were to pay it back in installments out of their wages of \$1 a day.

This foreman accompanied the girls on the Circassia, and there were also six men bound for South Manchester. Two of these, James Cowie and Patrick Harrison, advised that they had been promised work in the silk mill, and they also were held. The others were wary and would say nothing about work and were released.

The two girls and two men will be sent back to Ireland.

JONES ABUSED HIS WIFE.

But When a Policeman Came He
Was on His Knees Praying.

John L. Jones was sent to the island
for two months in default of \$500 bail
in Jefferson Market Court today, for
annoying and abusing his wife, Mrs.
Ellen Jones, of 21 West Twenty-fourth
street.

It is only three weeks ago that Jones
was arrested for beating his wife
with an umbrella over the head in front
of her house.

The couple formerly lived in Port-
chester, and Jones was employed in the
lumber business. He drank and
abused his wife and her mother, and
finally a legal separation was agreed
upon.

Then Mrs. Jones came to New York,
but she was followed by her husband.
She is a pretty woman of twenty-five
years, and is short and thick set.

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THE NAVAHOE RACING AGAIN.

In the Royal Victoria Yacht
Club Regatta.

Another Fifty-Mile Run for the
Sailers in English Waters.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—The week's racing of the Royal Victoria Yacht Club opened to-day off Ryde, Isle of Wight, where the club-house is situated.

The yachts entered for the cup, valued at £50, given by the Earl of Desart, Vice-Commodore of the club, were the Satania, owned by Mr. A. D. Clarke, Britannia, owned by the Prince of Wales; Navahoe, owned by Royal Welsh Carrol, and Calluna, owned by R. Donaldson.

The course over which the race was sailed was fifty miles long. The wind was blowing a moderate breeze from the east-south-east.

The start was made as follows:

Yacht	Time
Satania	10:10
Britannia	10:15
Navahoe	10:20
Calluna	10:25

IS CHOLERA WAVING IN NAPLES?

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DEATH BRINGS A RAID.

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STRANGE DEATH IN HOBOKEN.

Ford Died of "Cramps," but a
Death Certificate Is Refused.

He Was Taken Ill in a Boarding-
House in This City.

Martin Ford, aged thirty-nine, a boarder at 119 Charlton street, was taken suddenly ill yesterday morning, and Dr. McLaughlin, who was called in, told the people in the house that he was suffering from a severe attack of cramps.

Jeremiah Ford, a brother, of 513 Park avenue, Hoboken, was notified and at once had his brother removed to his residence, where he arrived at 11 o'clock A. M. Dr. Rue was called in and prescribed medicine, which failed to relieve the patient, and at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon Ford died.

Later Dr. Rue was applied to for a burial certificate, but he declined to issue one, saying that it would be necessary for the County Physician to investigate.

The brother reported the case at Hoboken Police Headquarters at 3:30 o'clock to-day, and County Physician Converse was notified, as was also Coroner Parlow.

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CROSSING THE LINE.

WAITED FOR THE BURGLAR.

Then Martin Grabbed Him by the
Throat and Yelled "Thief!"

Sergt. Kortright Was Passing and
Promptly Responded.

John Fay, a watchman, twenty-seven
years old, living at Hicksville, L. I., was
awaited at 12:30 o'clock this morning on
a charge of burglary and locked up in
the Miller Avenue Station, Brooklyn.

Robert W. Martin, an expressman, who
lives on Dresden street, near Atlantic
avenue, was the complainant.

He was waiting for the burglar, and
when he heard a noise in the night
he went to the door and saw a man
entering the house.

Martin made no outcry, but patiently
waited for the burglar to appear. After
waiting a few minutes the burglar
appeared, and Martin grabbed him by the
throat and yelled "Thief!"

Det. Sergt. Kortright happened
to be nearby, and he went in and put
the housebreaker under arrest. The
prisoner proved to be Fay.

IS A SHAKE-UP COMING?

Supt. Byrne's Return Anxiously
Awaited by Police Captains.

A rumor has been circulated in the
Police Department within the past few
days that there would soon be another
shake-up of captains. It is said that
the Police Department is now in a
vacation, which will be about Aug. 25,
a number of captains will be changed
around.

The City Hall station is without a
Captain at present, and there is one
vacancy occasioned by the death of the
late Captain. The Police Department
will create an additional vacancy.

It is said that Capt. Ryan, of the
High Bridge station, who has been
hiding since last February, when he
reached the age limit, will be retired
from service in the near future. This
will create a vacancy in the High
Bridge station.

With the filling of these places it is
said that Supt. Byrne will recommend
the transfer of a number of captains
from their present commands to other
precincts.

FROM INGRATITUDE TO MURDER.

Sen Evarts His Parents and Shoots
Them Who Sheltered Them.

HANNAH, Mo., Aug. 8.—John Nelson

drove his aged parents from the tent in
which he and his family live near Star
River, the old people were given shelter by John
Smith.

This enraged Nelson, who went to the
house of Smith and shot Smith's mother,
inflicting a mortal wound. Nelson
is in jail.

MYSTERY OF THE EAST RIVER.

Man's Body Found with a Stone
Tied to His Wrist.

The Coroner to Decide Whether It
Is Foul Play or Suicide.

The East River has given up another
of its dead, and another mystery has
been added to the long list of unsolved
cases in the history of the Police Department.

In this case it is a man whose body
was found floating last evening at the
foot of pier 21. It had been in the water
a long time, perhaps for weeks, kept
down by a granite paving block fastened
to his right wrist. It is this latter fact
that leads some of the police officials
to think that murder, not suicide, may
have been the cause of death.

Pier 21, which is located at the foot
of Governor street, is the property of
the New York, New Haven and Har-
ford Railroad Company, and at the
other side of the open stretch of water
is the dry dock used by William Jen-
kins & Co., shipwrights and carpenters.

A number of men were at work on
both piers at 4 o'clock yesterday
afternoon, and a score or more children
were playing there, when some one
observed that a body was in the
water.

Instantly all rushed towards the
water's edge. Some of the men
secured a life preserver, and had almost
succeeded in dragging the body ashore
when Policemen James McCarroll
and William J. Kelly, who were
patrolling the dock, saw the body
being raised to the dock.

Owing to the action of the water, it
was impossible almost to tell what the
body was, but it was a man, and he
had been dead for some time.

There was enough, however, to indi-
cate that the body was a man, and
that he had been even hand-
some. A fine beard, which before his
death had been a dark color, was
now a light color, and his face
was a yellowish color.

It was partly covered by a dark
coat, and he had a pair of dark
trousers on. He was dressed in a
dark suit of diagonal cloth, and wore
a pair of dark shoes.

In places as if from the ragged edges
of rock along the water front.

What attracted the most attention
was the paving stone which had been
fastened to his right wrist. The rope
was similar to that used by the
establishments. It was wound
around the wrist several times, and
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The policeman looked
at the body for some time, and
found several cuts and abrasions, it
was impossible to tell what caused them.

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THREATENED HIS MOTHER.

Harry Phillips Said to Have De-
manded \$300.

When Refused, It Is Claimed, He
Threatened to Shoot.

Harry Phillips, the young Englishman,
who has achieved notoriety through his
connection with ex-Mayor Chapin,
of Brooklyn, and on account of having
been arrested on charges of swindling
jewelers in this city, was brought
before Justice Meade, in the Tombs Court,
this morning, accused with having
threatened to shoot his mother when
she refused to lend him \$300.

He shook Kemper, and discovered
he was dead. He had torn off a por-
celain bust of the prisoner, and
after stuffing a handkerchief
into his throat he tied the ends of